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Allegiance bring to thee,
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So wanton or so free;
But, cloister'd from the wild wind's breath,
Nor flaunting in the sun,
Wilt lend a beauty e'en to death
When thy pure life is done.
—New York Times.

HER GUARDSMAN.

In a small house in Clarges street a girl of 18 stood in her presentation dress, while her long three yards and a half of white satin train trailed behind her. A maid knelt on the ground, picking out here and there a leaf from the sprays of lilies of the valley.

Marjorie looked in the mirror and patted a rebellious curl. "I feel excited. I can't help it. Oh, mother, I wish it were like a story, the country mouse being taken to court and a real live duke or earl falls in love with little mouse. I shall be in the midst of this great world soon. I wish something really romantic could happen."

"You'll have to take the taskmaster, Love, into your bargain with Fate, dear," said Mrs. Beauchamp. And Marjorie hid her face in her lovely bouquet of lilies of the valley, white orchids and white violets, and her heart gave a quick throb.

There was a "somebody" then. Perhaps no belted earl nor strawberry leaved duke, but a handsome, sunburned face looked into hers, the mellow voice had whispered.

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It was later on the same day, the carriages in endless strings down the mall, an eager crowd pressing close to all the windows, making their remarks freely.

"This waiting is very tiring," said Marjorie, "and I am so hungry."

"The gates are opened. We shall soon be in, my dear," said Lady Hamilton, taking a sip of sherry from a convenient flask. They had come now to the line of sentries, the guardsmen standing like statues.

The sunshine coming out in a great sheaf of splendor almost dazzled Marjorie, as looking through the glass windows she was conscious of one of the guardsmen on duty watching her intently. His busby skin almost hid his eyes and brow.

Was she dreaming or was there distinct recognition in that soldier's glance? The sweeping brown mustache concealed his mouth. She looked at him again, the carriage moved forward, he smiled. She bent forward, and her face dimpled into a smiling response; impulsively she waved her hand.

"To whom, may I ask, were you bowing?" said Lady Hamilton severely.

"I recognised some one, auntie, in the crowd," faltered Marjorie.

And her aunt, noting the sudden rush of color and shining eyes, grew suspicious. "A man was the only cause for that kind of emotion," she thought sagely.

Marjorie almost forgot that fleeting look while making her bow to her majesty. But the guardsman did not intend she should forget. A brilliant scheme had entered his mind.

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Truly, only a guardsman scribbling away for dear life, in all the barrenness of barrack surroundings, but he knew he had finished forever with the long, tedious marches. The pipeclaying, the "brass rags" could be chucked away, the parade ground need hear no longer the tread of Corporal Ferguson's feet, no more lonely watches in the tower, when the thought of Anne Boleyn's ghost to keep him company was not cheering.

Goodby to the arduous life of "roughing," goodby to the jarring influences which had surrounded him for two years—years of stern discipline and hard training. He had come out of it well.

And what was he writing, scheming lover, full of ardent fervor? His last test! A sweet little letter, scented delicately, lay next to his heart. This is what she said:

"Do not lead me to do wrong or to deceive. You must let me tell my mother, and I am ready to face the future with you. I will meet you once again, but I can no longer keep it secret."

"Bad young man!" he chuckled, and Marjorie Beauchamp that same day received this epistle:

"Dear, sweet Marjorie, companion of my thoughts and highest aspirations, when I saw you a fortnight ago, I was determined fate should never sever us again. Darling, how good you have been to me, and I shall not try that loving heart another day. You are ever in my mind, my best thoughts are of you, and my one great longing is to win you for my very own."

She looked very sweet in her picture hat covered with violets as she walked into her mother's room, dressed for a walk.

"Mother," she said, going over to her and turning very pale; "mother, I cannot keep my secret from you any longer."

"A secret, dear child? Why, no, of course not," said Mrs. Beauchamp tenderly, and put out her hand.

"Mother, do you remember two years ago I went on a visit to our old cousin James. When I was there, I met a lovely girl, Constance Ferguson. Do you remember my telling you how I helped nurse her? And—and a brother of hers, Charlie Ferguson, had just arrived from Australia."

"Well, my child, what of it?"

"I was only 16, mother, and he said I was so young, and he had a hard life in front of him. He had quarreled with his uncle and was practically cast off. Mother, can't you guess? I have seen him again—I love him!"

The bright head was bowed and hot tears splashing down.

"Read this, mother. He wishes me to meet him today in the park, and he says he has some great news to tell me. He is better off."

"But what is he now, Marjorie?"

"He is in the guards, mother."

"In the guards!" said the poor lady, bewildered. "Then he must be very well off indeed."

"No, mother, no. He enlisted. He is only a corporal."

"Only a corporal!" cried Mrs. Beauchamp, clasping her hands. "In a dreadful red coat! You have been seen out with him! Good heavens, Marjorie!"

"Oh, mother, don't be so horrified! I call him my pillar box, and he says I was the bravest girl he knew to meet him, and after I did he said he would come and see you and explain. And I am to marry him. And, after all"—winding up her incoherent speech dramatically—"it isn't the coat that makes the man! And, mother, may I go and meet him and bring him back?"

"Oh, Marjorie!" cried her poor mother, "what would your aunt say? I suppose I must consent to seeing him. He certainly writes a charming letter."

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"In the face of everybody, not ashamed?" said Ferguson a little quizzically, as he and his sweetheart got up on their chairs in Rotten row. She looked up half shyly at the tall, handsome guardsman.

"And now that you know everything, Marjorie, will you forgive my putting you to such a test?"

"I love you," she whispered, blushing hotly. "But, oh, how glad mother will be!"

They were walking along gayly, she the perfection of dainty prettiness, tripping along at his side, many curious and even inquisitive glances following the pair.

"Look, Charlie," cried Marjorie, her face dimpling into mischievous laughter; "there's auntie just passed us, driving. Look; she's turning back to look at us. Oh, her face! Isn't it a picture?"

Lady Hamilton alighted from her carriage simply trembling with indignation. She swept into her sister's room, her silk dress knocking down a table, a vase and some books, the plumes in her bonnet nodding formidably.

"Helena," she cried, "something too terrible has occurred. Your daughter—my niece—is out walking with a common soldier."

"My dear Eliza, I can explain," faltered Mrs. Beauchamp. "Don't—don't be angry. The young man is on his way here now"—

"On his way now!" almost shrieked Lady Hamilton. "You are going to let a man in a red coat and white belt enter this house! Helena, you should enter a lunatic asylum. This—this is appalling."

They heard a joyous little laugh. And Lady Hamilton rose to face them. Mrs. Beauchamp felt faint from emotion. What could be wrong when Marjorie wore such a lovely look? And a gleam of mirth in her eyes too. And the mother saw one of the finest looking fellows she had seen in her life fill up the doorway with his tall figure.

"Mother—auntie—let me introduce you to my lover, the guardsman, and soon to be my husband—the Earl of Desart."

"Please forgive me, Mrs. Beauchamp," he said in a winning way. "I claimed my discharge today, only to take orders, though, in another service." And here Marjorie's hand was clasped in his.

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Lady Hamilton a year later presented the son and heir with a silver mug and a box of tin soldiers.—Forgot-Me-Not.



When a young man asks a father for his daughter's hand in marriage, if the father is a wise one, he thinks of one thing equally as important as the young man's morals, social and business standing and intelligence. A young man who suffers from ill-health has no right to marry until his health is restored. To do so is to commit a crime against the human race. While all diseases may not be directly inherited, the constitutional tendency to acquire them is inherited. If a man is a consumptive, the chances are that his children will have weak, undersized lungs, and a predisposition to acquire the same disease.

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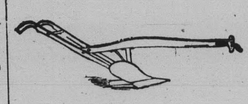
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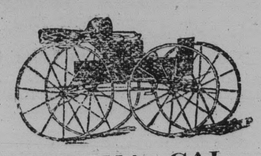
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SONOMA, OCTOBER 1, 1898.

H. H. GRANICE - - - - - - - - - - - - EDITOR

POLITICAL POINTERS.

Geo. W. Beatty of Glen Ellen, Democratic nominee for Constable, was in town Tuesday.

The Republican county candidates will hold forth in Glen Ellen this (Saturday) evening. They will visit Sonoma later on.

U. S. Grant Jr., is gaining strength every day all over the State as the most available Republican for the United States Senate. The honor could not be thrust upon a more worthy man.

M. H. de Young has emphatically denied that he is an aspirant this year for Senatorial honors, and he means just what he says, the assertions of our friends the enemy to the contrary notwithstanding.

Hon. Robt. Poppe left last Tuesday on another campaigning trip to Cloverdale, Healdsburg and other towns in the northern part of the county. He is making a strong fight for the Senatorship and it is said is gaining friends wherever he goes.

The Republican meeting announced to take place in Union Hall this evening has been postponed owing to the Vintage Festival at the Heller place tonight, to which almost everybody in the valley has been invited. Another date will be set for the meeting by County Committeeman Burris as soon as he can make the necessary arrangements to get the Republican county candidates to attend in a body.

J. C. Sims, Democratic nominee for State Senator from the Tenth District, publishes his card in another column. Mr. Sims, who is a prominent lawyer of Santa Rosa, is no stranger to the people of Sonoma Valley. Mr. Sims has served one term in the Lower House of the Legislature, being elected six years ago by a large majority over M. K. Cady. Of polite address, highly educated and a man of fine personal presence he is a credit to the party that has put him forward for Senatorial honors.

Mr. Chas. Ohm's political friend says: "Mr. Robin informs us that he did not care to come out as a candidate, but Mr. Granice and his friends insisted on his running and he had permitted them to use his name" The assertion is a lie manufactured out of cloth a yard wide and a yard long. Mr. Robin never made such a declaration and Mr. Granice had nothing whatever to do in bringing out Mr. Robin. However, as Mr. Ohm's supporter has resorted to lying and deceit in order to help his candidate along and to injure the other nominees for constable the INDEX-TRIBUNE, Granice and his friends wish to go on record as being opposed to such contemptible tactics. You have made your bed, Charley, now you can lie in it.

SCHELLVILLE SIFTINGS

Jo. Anderson is at present sojourning in Petaluma.

Johnnie McNeil is visiting friends in San Francisco.

Miss Ida Nell of San Francisco is a visitor at "Meadow Farm."

Wm. Dickson will shortly take up his residence in Petaluma.

Mrs. Chas. Donahue and infant son are visiting Mrs. M. Donahue.

Edwin Lord made a business trip to the city one day this week.

Joe Kiser returned Tuesday from a brief visit to the metropolis.

Mrs. Arch Cook returned Sunday evening from a visit to the metropolis.

Misses Josephine and Margaret Watt were visitors to Petaluma last Tuesday.

Mrs. Stademan has returned to Embarcadero, after a visit of several weeks with San Francisco relatives.

Anton Kiser, Frank McGill and Chas. Bloom killed twenty rabbits on the Murray dairy farm last Sunday.

Vollmar's Hotel, which is the only resort for hunters, fishermen and other pleasure seekers at Embarcadero, is now offered for sale.

Ducks are reported quite plentiful in the marshes near this place and local nimrods anticipate great sport on Saturday, when the open season commences.

Ah Sing, the Chinese lessee of the Harper ranch, near this place, had his left leg broken last Tuesday morning. He was driving a span of balky horses, when they suddenly bolted and ran away, throwing him to the ground with the above result. The accident occurred near the identical spot where John Harper, the former owner of the ranch, was instantly killed a few years ago by a similiar runaway.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

There was a large attendance of attorneys, and a number of interesting matters on the Superior Court calendars on Monday. Judge S. K. Dougherty's calendar in department one was as follows:

In the suit of J. W. Swank vs. A. Schelling the motion to dismiss was denied, and the trial was set for October 4th.

An opinion was filed in the suit to quiet title brought by the Santa Rosa National Bank vs. Anna A. Lewis et al., giving judgment quieting title. A stay of execution was granted for twenty days.

The trial of the action entitled Fannie Villain vs. Helen Mesple was set for December 6th.

Default of insolvent was entered in the R. L. Crooks insolvency matter.

The W. H. Hudson insolvency matter was continued to October 10th.

The suit of D. Zelinsky vs. J. A. Nordin was continued to October 3rd.

The will of F. T. Maynard was admitted to probate, and Aaron Schroyer was appointed executor, No bonds were required.

The fourth annual account in the estate of Ruth Barnes was settled.

The final account was settled and distribution was ordered in the estate of William Benitz.

The petition to set apart home to widow was granted in the estate of the late Edward Surrhyne.

These probate matters were continued: Estate of Dorothy Carson, to October 10th; estate of J. J. Gobbi, to October 3rd.

The will of the late Miss Kate Armstrong was admitted to probate. Miss Lizzie Armstrong was appointed administratrix without bonds.

Judge A. G. Burnett disposed of the following matters in department two;

Charles Albrecht, the alleged bigamist, entered a plea of not guilty to the charge and his trial was set for October 19th.

The case of the People of the State of California vs. B. Bartolomei, charged with a serious offense, was continued to October 10th.

Personal judgment in the sum of $1,756.10 was given in the suit brought by the Wm. Hill Company against Frederick Engleharte.

The final account of the estate of the late ex-Senator John S. Enos was settled and allowed.

These matters were continued: W. H. Weilby vs. F. T. Duhring, J. Lucas vs. Edwin Reynolds, Mary Baptiste vs. Manuel Baptiste, all to October 3rd.

In the suit of Lenora Silva vs. J. J. Silva the demurrer and motion to strike out was withdrawn, and by consent five days were given to answer.

Foreclosure proceedings were commenced Monday in the Superior Court by Vincenzio Gianella, Agostino Gianella, Rosin Trembley and Terresa Bisordi, through their attorney, D. R. Gale Esq., against H. F. Tarrant and Sophia A. Tarrant, his wife.

On Monday Mrs. May Albrecht No. 2 of Santa Rosa brought proceedings for divorce in the Superior Court through her attorney, T. J. Butts Esq., against Charles Albrecht, the alleged bigamist, now in jail in Santa Rosa. The much married man now has both his wives seeking to be released from their maritial ties to him, as a few days ago he was served with divorce papers at the instance of Mrs. Albrecht No. 1 of Oakland.

Mina Colton has brought suit through her attorney T. J. Butts Esq., for divorce from Frank B. Colton.

Newton V. V. Smyth, the Republican nominee for County Surveyor, is making friends all over the county.

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The Rainfall.

The first rain for the season in this valley fell last Saturday. Robt. Hall, local U. S. Signal Officer, reports the precipation as being thirty-six one-hundredths of an inch. The showers were most welcome, as they cooled the atmosphere and thoroughly laid the dust on the public highways.

See the Doctors Free.

The chief consulting physician of the Hudson Medical Institute and his aids and associates will be in Sonoma on Monday, October 3rd. The doctors have with them the most costly apparatus and instruments for examining men and women for chronic diseases of the blood and nerves. It is known that the Hudson Medical Doctors have cured 40,000 men and women in the past five years. The doctors treat Nervousness, Nervous Debility, Weakness, Exhausted Nervous Vitality, Nervous Prostration, Sleeplessness, Despondency, Mental Depression, Hysteria, Paralysis, Numbness, Trembling, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Pains in side and back, Apoplexy, Epileptic Fits, St. Vitus Dance, Palpitation of the Heart, Nervous and Sick Headache, Nervous Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Loss of Appetite, Constipitation and all affections of the Nervous System. You can consult with these doctors free of charge. We guarantee that. Call at the Union Hotel on next Monday, October 3rd.

A number of farmers of the coast district have made a rich harvest this year. Not of hay or grain, but of large quantities of lumber. Recently a ship in the lumber trade was wrecked on the Humboldt bar and for some time past many thousand feet of lumber has been lodging on the shore near Fort Ross. According to the Sebastopol *Times* one fortunate farmer secured one hundred thousand feet of redwood and pine, with which he intends to erect a large barn. Aside from many smaller lots another man obtained fifteen thousand feet of lumber and a large quantity of shakes.

America's Greatest Medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla, Which absolutely Cures every form of Impure blood, from The pimple on your Face to the great Scrofula sore which Drains your system. Thousands of people Testify that Hood's Sarsaparilla cures Scrofula, Salt Rheum, Dyspepsia, Malaria, Catarrh, Rheumatism And That Tired Feeling. Remember this And get Hood's And only Hood's.

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This popular resort, located five miles from Sonoma, is now offered for sale at a figure that will pay big interest on the investment. Good reasons given for selling. Big bar trade the year round.

For further particulars call on or address

H. H. GRANICE,

Sonoma, Sonoma Co., Cal.

Notice of Hearing.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND for the County of Sonoma, State of California. In the matter of the application of the Trustees of the First Congregational Church of Sonoma for power to sell the parsonage property. Notice of hearing. Pursuant to an order of the Hon. S. K. Dougherty, Judge of the said Superior Court, notice is hereby given to any and all persons interested in the real property of said society, and in any matters thereof, to show cause if any they can, on MONDAY, the SEVENTEENTH day of OCTOBER, 1898, on that day, or as soon thereafter as the same can be heard, at the court room of said Court, in the City of Santa Rosa, why the Trustees of said corporation should not be authorized by order of this Court to sell part or all of that piece of real property of said society or corporation known as the pars nage and bounded and described as follows, viz: Lot number 131, as the same is shown and des gnated on the map of the former City or Pueblo of Sonoma, California; and to make, execute and deliver the proper deed or deeds in the corporate name and under the corporate seal to the purchaser or purchasers.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Superior Court, this 26th day of September, 1898.

(SEAL.) SOMERS B. FULTON, Clerk.

By R. L. THOMPSON, Deputy Clerk

WANTED—SEVERAL TRUST worthy persons in this state to manage our business in their own and nearby counties. It is mainly office work conducted at home. Salary straight $900 a year and expenses—definite, bonafide, no more, no less salary. Monthly $75. Refrences. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelop, Herbert E. Hess, Prest., Dept. M, Chicago.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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FOR STATE SENATOR

ROBERT A. POPPE

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE for State Senator from the Tenth District. Election November 8, 1898.

FOR SHERIFF

FRANK P. GRACE,

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE for Sheriff of Sonoma county. Election November 8, 1898.

FOR COUNTY CLERK

AUGUST F. DOMINE

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE for County Clerk of Sonoma county. Election November 8, 1898.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

T. J. BUTTS

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE for District Attorney of Sonoma county. Election November 8, 1898.

FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR

FRANK E. DOWD

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE for Assessor of Sonoma county. Election November 8, 1899.

FOR ASSEMBLYMAN SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT.

W. F. COWAN,

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE for Assemblyman Seventeenth Assembly District. Election November 8, 1898.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR.

NEWTON V. V. SMYTH,

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE for County Surveyor of Sonoma county. Election, November 8, 1898.

FOR SUPT. OF SCHOOLS.

J. E. METZGER,

(OF GEYSERVILLE)

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE for Superintendent of Schools of Sonoma county. Election, Nov. 8, 1898.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

MINNIE GOULTER,

DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE FOR Superintendent of Schools of Sonoma county. Election, November 8, 1898.

FOR ASSEMBLYMAN SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT.

SHERIDAN PETERSON,

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE for Assemblyman Seventeenth Assembly District. Election November 8, 1898.

FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR.

M. V. VANDERHOOF,

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE for Assessor of Sonoma county. Election, November 8th, 1898.

FOR CONSTABLE SONOMA TOWNSHIP.

CHAS. H. OHM

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE for Constable Sonoma Township. Election, November 8, 1898.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

EDWARD F. WOODWARD,

(Present Incumbent.)

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE for

County Treasurer.

Election, November 8, 1898,

FOR AUDITOR and RECORDER

W. A. MILLS

REGULAR REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE for Auditor and Recorder of Sonoma county. Election November 8, 1898.

FOR CONSTABLE SONOMA TOWNSHIP.

GEORGE W. BEATTY,

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE for Constable of Sonoma Township. Election, November 8, 1898.

To the Voters of Sonoma Township.

I HEREBY PLEDGE MYSELF IF elected, that I will try all cases in the Justices' Court that come before me from the southern part of the Township in the city of Sonoma.

JAS. W. GIBSON,

Regular Democratic Nominee for Justice of the Peace.

Glen Ellen, Sept. 8, 1898.

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FOR STATE SENATOR.

JAMES C. SIMS,

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE for State Senator from the Tenth District. Election, Nov. 8, 1898.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

M. D. GOSHEN,

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE for County Treasurer of Sonoma County. Election. November 8, 1898.

TO THE VOTERS OF SONOMA TOWNSHIP.

I hereby agree, if elected Justice of the Peace of Sonoma Township, to try all cases from the northern part of the Township in Glen Ellen or Kenwood, to suit the convenience of the parties interested.

J. M. CHENEY,
Regular Republican Nominee.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

Legislative Ticket

FOR STATE SENATOR, TENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT
ROBERT A. POPPE
Of Sonoma.

FOR ASSEMBLYMAN, SIXTEENTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT
H. M. LeBARON
Of Valley Ford.

FOR ASSEMBLYMAN, SEVENTEENTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT
SHERIDAN PETERSON
Of Windsor.

FOR SHERIFF
FRANK J. MURPHY

FOR COUNTY CLERK
SOMERS B. FULTON

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY
O. O. WEBBER

FOR AUDITOR AND RECORDER
W A MILLS

FOR TREASURER
E F WOODWARD

FOR ASSESSOR
M V VANDERHOOF

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
JOS E METZGER

FOR SURVEYOR
NEWTON V V SMYTH

FOR CORONER AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR
DR J C PIERCE

Supervisor Ticket.

FOR SUPERVISOR, SECOND SUPERVISOR DISTRICT
D WALLS
Of Petaluma.

FOR SUPERVISOR, FOURTH SUPERVISOR DISTRICT
JOHN B COOLEY
Of Cloverdale.

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OFFICIAL TIME SCHEDULE

Leave Sonoma. WEEK DAYS	Leave Sonoma. SUN DAYS	Effective June 29, 1898. TO AND FROM.	Arrive Sonoma. SUN. DAYS	Arrive Sonoma. WEEK DAYS
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	San Francisco	10.25 AM	10 05 AM
3.30 PM	3.37 PM	San Rafael and intermediates	7.15 P M	7.20 PM
10.05 AM	10.25 AM	Glen Ellen	8.10 AM	6.18 AM
7.20 PM	7.15 PM	and intermediates	3.37 PM	3.30 PM
10.30 AM	8.10 AM	Novato	10.25 AM	10.05 AM
*3.30 PM	3.37 PM	Petaluma Santa Rosa and intermediates	7.15 PM	7.20 PM
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	Cloverdale		10.05 AM
3.30 PM		Healdsburg Lytton and intermediates	7.15 PM	7.20 PM
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	Ukiah	7.15 PM	10.05 AM
3.30 PM		and intermediates		7.20 PM
6 18 AM	8.10 AM	Sebastopol	10.25 AM	10.05 AM
3.30 PM	3.37 PM	and intermediates	7.15 PM	7.20 PM
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	Guerneville	7.15 PM	10.05 AM
3.30 PM		and intermediates		7.20 P

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Oregon Flour $1.00 per Sack

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JUST RECEIVED---A Full Line of FALL and WINTER DRESS GOODS FLANNELS, LADIES and CHILDREN'S WOOL and MERINO UNDERWEAR, etc., at G. H. Hotz's dry goods store.

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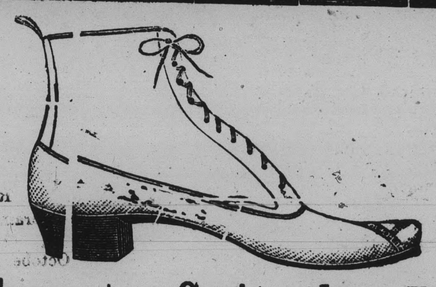
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We can save you from 30c to $2.00 per ton on your shipments each way. Freight delivered wherever desired in city limits without extra charge.

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CITY OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

THE VINTAGE FESTIVAL.

Presentation of "The Victory" at Rhinefarm.

To-night Benj. Weed's Greek drama, "The Victory," written expressely for the Vintage Festival, will be presented at Rhinefarm. The work of the young author is deserving of the highest commendation. It is a classic tale told in five acts. Corydon, a young Hellen, seeks Carola in marriage. Her father, Magon, opposes the match on account of an old enmity to Corydon's father. Carola entreats and Magon promises his consent should Corydon be victor in the Olympian games at Elis. Corydon goes forth confident of victory. Magon regrets his promise and sends forth a slave to kill Corydon on his return from the games. The slave is led astray by the Bacchantes and fails to perform his mission. Corydon, through the god Bacchus, comes out victor in the games, wins a crown of olive and returns home. Magon and his slave flee the country, thereby escaping the wrath of their fellow countrymen. Carola is bestowed upon Corydon and thanks are offered to their respective protectors, Venus and Bacchus. Dome Gordenker will assume the roll of Magon. Mrs. Benj. Weed will be Carola. Benj. Weed takes the part of Corydon. Miss Claire Hope is to be Venus. Robt. Bein of San Francisco will appear as Bacchus. The chorus of Bacchantes will be led by Miss Gretchen Bruntsch of Alameda. There is also a victory chorus. The Vale of Pansies, where the drama is to be enacted, forms a natural ampitheatre and is in every way suited to the presentation of a Greek play.

EPILEPTIC FARM.

The Legislature Will be Asked to Provide for One.

The State Commission in Lunacy held a meeting in San Francisco last Saturday, at which a resolution was passed declaring in favor of the establishment of a farm for epileptics at Eldridge. It has been the experience of experts in the treatment of epilepsy that persons suffering from the ailment are best cared for on a farm, and at Eldridge there are sufficient grounds for both the Home for Feeble-Minded and the proposed farm. The Legislature will be asked to make an appropriation to carry out the ideas of the Commission.

A Narrow Escape from Fire.

On Monday evening last the dry goods store of G. H. Hotz had a narrow escape from a serious fire and all that saved the main business block of Sonoma from destruction was the prompt action of Rollo Smith and a number of men standing by. On the evening of the accident, owing to the electric light plant being temporarily shut down, Mr. Hotz lighted his store with coal oil. At about 9 o'clock, upon closing up for the night, young Smith, who is employed as a clerk in the store, went to put out the large lamp in the show window. The lamp, however, had been insecurely fastened to the ceiling and upon being touched fell with a crash. In a minute the entire window was in flames, which, after several efforts, were smothered with a large blanket.

Attached for Sixty Dollars.

On Thursday last Young's blacksmith shop in this place was attached by F. Clewe on a judgment issued out of Justice Cheney's court last May. Officer Robin took possession of the shop yesterday morning and placed it under lock and key.

DASTARDLY DEED OF A DEMON.

TRAIN WRECKED NEAR GLEN ELLEN.

A Tramp's Murderous Method of Revenge.

A diabolical attempt was made to wreck the Southern Pacific passenger train at Gelston station, near Glen Ellen, on Sunday afternoon. As Engineer Clark was rounding the sharp curve a few hundred yards from the station he discovered that the switch was open. The air brakes were instantly applied, the brave engineer and fireman standing by their engine. The momentum of the train, however, was too great to bring the cars to a standstill and the engine rushed into the open switch, upon which was standing a box car. This was struck with great force, throwing the engine, tender and baggage car off the track into an open field. The engine and baggage car were badly smashed up, but fortunately the engineer and fireman escaped injury. The coaches remained on the track and aside from a shaking up the passengers also escaped injury.

Vernon Goodwin of this place, who was returning home after an absence of several months in Virginia, was aboard the train and says it was a narrow escape and had it not been for the air brakes there would have been a train wreck frightful to contemplate.

That it was a deliberate attempt to wreck the train by some fiend in human shape does not admit of a doubt. The lock had been broken and the switch thrown wide open. It was undoubtedly the work of a train-beater, who had been thrown off the cars by Conductor Gage that same morning a short distance from where the wreck occurred.

Drunk and Disorderly.

John McCarthy, who is evidently a professional tramp, was arrested in this place last Saturday evening by City Marshal Robin and charged with misdemeanor. The obstreperous hobo was engaged in kicking up a great row on Spain street, when the officer hove in sight and bore down on the inebriated disturber of the peace and quiet of that part of town. McCarthy was placed under arrest and escorted to jail and locked up. Monday he was taken before Judge Cheney and pleading guilty to a charge of misdemeanor was sentenced to the County Jail for forty days.

St. Francis' Church.

Most Rev. Archbishop Riordan will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation in St. Francis' Church on Sunday, October 9th, at 11 o'clock Mass.

Rev. Father Sardi, S. J., will conduct a three day's retreat, commencing October 6th, at St. Francis' Church for the children who are to be confirmed on October 9th.

The City Trustees meet next Wednesday evening in regular semi-monthly session.

A SONOMA BOY AT MANILA.

HE FOUGHT AND SUFFERED IN THE TRENCHES.

Friend McHarvey, Aged 18 Years, Writes of His Experience on the Battle Field.

Friend McHarvey, who was born and raised in this place, and who enlisted in Battery K, U. S. Heavy Artillery of the regular army, writes from Manila, under date of August 25th, to his grandmother, Mrs. McHarvey, as follows:

"Dear Grandmother:

"I received your kind and welcome letter and was glad to hear from you. I want you to write as often as you can and tell Sadie to write also, as I like to hear from home as much as possible. Send me all the local and daily papers. As the newspapers here are all Spanish we do not get anything to read.

"I tell you, when I get back I will have some interesting stories to relate. This experience I will never forget as long as I live. On the battle field I did not have anything to eat for two days and nights. The Spaniards had us corralled and did not do a thing but let us have it. We let them go till they hanged themselves and then we sailed in on them and took Manila. When Dewey commenced throwing those 12-inch shells and the Heavy Artillery those humming birds and bumble bees all the foot racers in the world could not have kept up with those Spaniards. Why, the walls around old Manila are thirty feet high and they did not stop to go through the gates; they jumped right over the walls, got out that flag of truce, and then we had won the victory. Golly, but they were mad when we all lined up and they marched along and handed us their guns. They talked all kinds of Spanish and now they are looking into the muzzles of our bulldogs instead of the Boys in Blue looking into theirs, but for all that there are some pretty good fellows among them.

"Well, to change the subject, when I start for home I will bring you many things which you cannot easily buy in America. Everything is very cheap here and among other things I bring will be a Spanish sword for Sadie, if it costs me $10. We will be paid the 1st of September and I will have $27.50 coming to me. I think in about three months I will either be stationed in San Francisco or on one of the Hawaiian Islands. If the latter it will be a fine place for me, but I would rather be in San Francisco, as it is nearer home. I would write to you of my experience, but I can tell you about it better when I get back. I will tell you the solid truth and then you can express your opinion of Uncle Sam. I am not the only one that is kicking. However, I will stay with it if it kills me, for when my time is up there will be coming to me $330, a good discharge and a letter of recommendation. Malcolm Elliott and Arthur Schell are here with me. Tell Mrs. Minkle that I met Geo. Hubbard and that we talk of old times whenever we get the blues. In the battle I fired just 184 shots.

FRIEND McHARVEY."

Commencing **October 1st, 1898,** "The San Francisco DAILY EVENING and SUNDAY MORNING BULLETIN," and the SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE" will be delivered by carrier to subscribers. **Fifty Cents per Month for both papers.**

Vollmar's Hotel for Sale.

Vollmar's Hotel at Embarcadero, five miles south of Sonoma, is now offered for sale by the heirs to the property, Mrs. P. H. Vollmar and Mrs. Flora Vollmar-Spencer. This property is considered one of the best stands in the county. It is largely resorted to by hunters, fishermen and pleasure seekers in general, and enjoys a big bar trade. It is also the stopping place of all freight teams on their way to and from the schooner service of Sonoma Creek. The property is offered for sale at a reasonable figure. The hotel is doing a fine business and will pay good interest on the investment. For further particulars apply to or address, H. H. GRANICE, Sonoma.

The local agency of a well-known old line Life Insurance Company is open to the right man. He can devote his whole time or attend to it in connection with other business. This is an excellent opportunity for a wide awake man to build up a good paying business. Address, Manager, 214 Pine street, San Francisco. *

Date of St. Francis' Fair.

The opening night of the Fair for the benefit of St. Francis' Church has been set for October 26th. The ladies have been making active preparations for some time past and it is expected that this will be the most successful Fair ever given by the church.

High School.

The quarterly meeting of the Sonoma Valley Union High School will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

That Joyful Feeling

With the exhilarating sense of renewed health and strength and internal cleanliness, which follows the use of Syrup of Figs, is unknown to the few who have not progressed beyond the old time medicines and the cheap substitutes sometimes offered but never accepted by well-informed. Buy the genuine. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co

CITY SOLONS.

The Trustees Meet to Consider a Just Claim—Objections Have no Foundation—Action Deferred.

The City Trustees met in adjourned meeting last Wednesday night for the purpose of considering the bill of H. H. Granice for $96. This bill, which is justly due the claimant for legal printing, was incurred many months ago and from time to time has been laid over owing to lack of funds and the whining upon the public streets of a couple of would-be "Omnipotent Citizens."

President Duhring stated the object of the meeting and all parties having any knowledge of the matter were called upon to set forth their views. The only objections raised to the payment of the claim were inspired out of a spirit of revenge, the object being to embroil the present Board of City Trustees and the editor of the INDEX-TRIBUNE in a controversy in the hopes of weakening and eventually defeating the water proposition, for which this journal has battled through thick and thin. So far, however, the whole matter has been discussed in a dispassionate manner by both Trustees and claimant. The work was contracted for by the old Board and well and faithfully performed by the INDEX-TRIBUNE, and as shown by the minutes of Clerk Poppe is a just and valid claim against the city, and any court in the land would so decide. After some discussion the whole matter was laid over until the next regular meeting.

Trustee Harris, on behalf of the Street Committee, reported that the ditch on Spain street was in a filthy condition and City Marshal Robin was instructed to notify H. Weyl to cease dumping foul and polluted substances into said ditch.

Fine Carriage Painter.

Henry Soare, who recently opened a carriage painting shop in the Heydt & Cozzens building on Spain street, has turned out some very fine work since locating here. Robt. Hall, who has had six carriages painted by Mr. Soare, speaks very highly of his skill as a carriage painter and recommends his work to the farmers of this valley as being not only handsome, but lasting. Mr. Soare has a wife and two children and if he can succeed in securing sufficient work to support his family will become a permanent resident among us. Being a skilled mechanic he deserves and should receive the support of our people.

Vintage Season.

Grape-picking and wine-making will commence in this valley next week. Grapes are turning out fairly well and while the crop is not nearly so heavy as last season the quality of the grapes is first-class and the vintage of 1898 will be of fine bouquet. The Gundlach-Bundschu, Dresel & Co., Chauvet, Aguillon, Hearst and other large wineries in Sonoma Valley will be in full blast by the middle of the month.

Accident.

Johnny Stademan is now perambulating about town with the aid of a cane, owing to an accident he met with last Tuesday. He was engaged in hauling hay and while proceeding along the road near the Tente place the heavily loaded wagon tipped over. In order to save himself from being crushed beneath the loaded wagon Jack jumped. Fortunately he landed clear of the vehicle and its load of baled hay, but in doing so he dislocated his left knee joint.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

And Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

Items of a personal and social nature are thankfully received at this office.

M. Muldry visited Santa Rosa last Monday.

A. W. Agnew was a visitor to Lakeville last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hocker visited Santa Rosa Sunday.

Jas. H. Pieratt of Glen Ellen is visiting relatives in Napa county.

Wm. Clewe returned from a short visit to San Francisco Monday evening.

Miss Theo. Bates has been spending the past week with Miss Josie Ryan of Benicia.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cheney of San Francisco will spend Sunday with Sonoma Valley relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hartin, after an absence of several days in the metropolis, returned home Monday evening.

Geo. Drumm came up from Berkeley last Sunday and visited his relatives Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Champlin.

A marriage license was issued Tuesday by Cupid Fulton to Wm. O. Munfrey and Miss Lillie Dunn of this place.

R. M. Sims, attorney at law, came up from the city last Saturday night and spent Sunday with Sonoma friends.

Mrs. Clewe, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Lena, visited this week at the Schluss residence in San Francisco.

C. F. Lea, attorney at law, who has recently opened up an office in Santa Rosa, was in town Wednesday on legal business.

Hub. A. Wood, representing the San Francisco Daily *Report*, visited Sonoma Wednesday. While here he paid this office a pleasant call.

Mrs. Mudd, who has been keeping house for Mrs. Nordin, will soon leave for the metropolis, where she will start into business for herself.

Andrew Anderson, proprietor of the National Saloon, Petaluma, was in town Thursday shaking hands with his old-time Sonoma friends.

Dr. A. McLaughlin came up from the metropolis last Sunday and enjoyed a day's sport with his grey hounds in the foot hills near this place.

Beautiful invitations have been sent out for the Vintage Festival, which will take place to-night at the Vale of Pansies, an ideal spot located two-and-a-half miles east of Sonoma.

The Misses Biggins have moved into Sonoma from their farm on the Petaluma road. They have rented the Joost place in the western suburbs of town, where they now reside.

Mrs. A. Hubsch, who has been spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Law, will shortly return to her home in Dunsmuir. She will be accompanied by her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrison, who returned last week from the Klondike, left for Fresno Wednesday morning, after spending several days with their relatives Mrs. M. A. Johnson and daughters.

Mrs. George is here from Ukiah spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Hartin, prior to a trip East. She will spend the winter in Cincinnatti with her relatives, Dr. and Mrs. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gawne visited San Leandro last week to bid farwell to John Gawne and family, who have departed for a three-years' stay in England, where their three youngest children will complete their studies.

Albert Chance of Battle Mountain is the guest of Ben. Cook. Mr. Chance will locate here with his family, owing to the ill health of his wife, who is suffering from pulmonary troubles.

Mrs. H. H. Davis returned Thursday from the metropolis.

Ed. Steiger is home, after a short business trip to San Francisco.

Jas. B. Small, after an absence of several months in Bennett Valley, has returned home.

Mrs. G. Zane and children of San Quentin are the guests of Sonoma Valley relatives.

Miss C. C. Granice of Berkeley is here visiting her parents. She will return Monday morning.

Miss Gretchen Bruntsch of Alameda is spending a few days at the residence of Mrs. D. Duhring.

Deme Gordenker came up from Berkeley Thursday and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Weed.

Mrs. Lydia Waugaman of San Francisco is visiting at Eden Dale, home of her father, the Hon. Robt. Howe.

Mrs. George White, owner of the old Harvey Shaw place in the eastern suburbs of town, has one of the finest crops of silver prunes in Sonoma Valley.

At the Congregational Church last Sunday Rev. Charles D. Milliken preached both morning and evening. He also led the prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Mr. Milliken has spent the present week in Sonoma Valley and will occupy the pulpit again on Sunday, October 2nd. All who have had the pleasure of meeting him are pleased with his quiet, genial ways, his apparent earnestness, his scholarly bearing and attainments, and his evident desire to live a life of helpfulness. It is certain that those who attend the services on Sunday will be amply repaid.

Opinion of an Eminent Jurist.

Ballot reform in New York was necessary, says an eminent jurist, because mere politicians by trade who had no interest in government or politics except to enrich and aggrandize themselves sought perpetual control: There are other excellent reforms besides that of the ballot. Conspicious among them is the reform, promptly and thoroughly effected, in a disordered physical system by Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which counteracts tendencies of serious disease bred by a deficiency of vital stamina, irregularity of the bowels, stomach, liver or kidneys, and inquietude of the nerves. This sterling medicine, which has for near half a century won because it deserves popular favor, is commended by physicians of eminence who accord it their approval, not only for its excellent qualities in a remedial capacity but also for its serviceable properties as a medical stimulant. It soothes and strengthens the nerves, and is far preferable to the hea y, unmedicated stimulant of commerce.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Duhring has made a big cut on flour. He is now selling Port Costa at $1.10 and Oregon at $1.00 per sack.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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SONOMA, SATURDAY, OCT. 1, 1898.

DESCENT OF LOVE.

Hath man e'er had experience like this
For poets sing a love which children mock
And bliss of love therein is laughing stock.

Their silly words make creed for common men?
Our life had long been dreamy holiday
Till when one even on the bleak highway,

I told her that I loved her, and she left
Her soul upon my lips, and thus we stand
Bereft of earth, and then—oh, strange!—wed

Down the bleak highway till the place's fear
Had closed his wings and left from following.
So here, within sound of her sweet singing,

This summer's day I fathom that dread time
And liken it—how up some desert peak
Sublime went ancient men and heard God speak

And won his law. But once they went, no more!
Yea, though God's dreams ran burning in their brain,
They hurried to the ways of humble men,
Nor prayed of him to visit them again!

—A. Boyd Scott in Black and White.

MAY BE THE MISSING LINK.

That Mysterious and Useless Organ of Man, the Vermiform Appendix.

A distinguished paleontologist claims to have discovered facts serving to show that the vermiform appendix, that mysteriously useless organ that has annoyed the human family so much of late years, is no more nor less than the rudimentary remnant of the gizzard with which he believes the monstrous progenitors of man of the tertiary period of the earth's existence were supplied. Some of these gigantic creatures, lizards in form, birds in kind, animals in some functions, are believed to have developed by the gradual stages described by the supporters of the theory of evolution into the semblance of a human being.

If the bird form be the original of the human race, it is reasonable to believe that it may have been supplied with a gizzard, which in the bird of modern time possesses a definite and important function in the digestion of the food. The bird having no teeth the food is in many cases swallowed whole. Some birds can crush the food with their beaks, but normally the digestion is permitted largely through the agency of the gizzard, where the food is ground into fine particles. The interior coating of this organ is rough and muscular. Many birds swallow, as far as the gizzard, small pebbles that aid the process of attrition. Thus if the latest theory be correct a curious paradox is presented. Whereas in the beginning, as now, the gizzard performed its functions most satisfactorily when supplied with indigestible substances, its rudiment that now remains in the human structure becomes a center of dangerous conditions as soon as any foreign substance, and especially any hard matter, is deposited in it.

One of the marvels of anatomy for some years has been this strange sac in the upper intestines, apparently without the least function in the digestive system and capable of being removed without affecting the health of the patient save to a favorable degree. Researches have revealed many traces of such rudiments in the human system. Darwin's studies brought to light many resemblances between man and the lower orders. It may now be that the despised vermiform appendix will be exploited as the real "missing link" binding man to the past ages, when life assumed many forms that are today unknown.—Washington Star.

NOTICE
TO TAX-PAYERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

I. That all taxes in the City of Sonoma for the year 1898-9 on all personal property secured by real property and one-half of the taxes on real property will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, 1898,

And will be delinquent on the

Third Monday in November

Next thereafter at 6 o'clock P. M., and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent. will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

First Monday in February

Next at 6 o'clock P. M., an additional five per cent. will be added thereto.

II. That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January

Next, and will be delinquent on the

First Monday in February

Thereafter at 6 o'clock P. M., and that unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that liens will attach after the

First Monday in March, 1899

At 6 o'clock P. M.

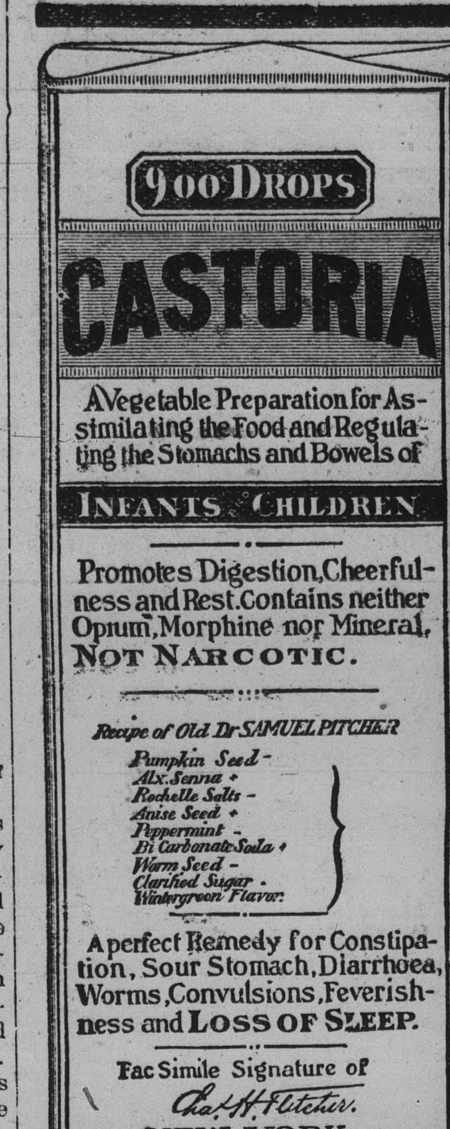
III. That all taxes may be paid at the time when the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

IV. Taxes may be paid at the City Hall on any day, Sundays excepted, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M., and 4 P. M.

J. EUGENE ROBIN,
City Tax Collector.

Sonoma, Sept. 24, 1898.

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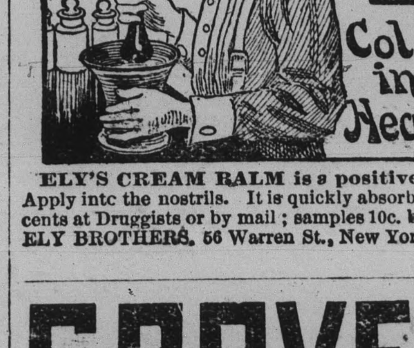
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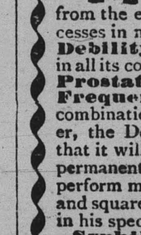
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OFFICIAL.

Ordinance No. 59.

An ordinance calling a special election in the city of Sonoma, submitting to the qualified electors of said city at said special election the proposition to incur a municipal debt aggregating Fifteen Thousand Dollars for the object and purpose of acquiring, constructing and completing a permanent system of municipal waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, acqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks, machinery for the same, and connected with the use thereof, to supply the City of Sonoma and the inhabitants thereof with a sufficient quantity of pure, fresh water, the cost of which proposed waterworks will be too great to be paid out of the ordinary annual revenue and income of said City of Sonoma; providing for the issuance of the bonds of said city for said amount if said proposition be accepted by the qualified electors thereof as required by law; prescribing the time and manner of holding such election, and the voting for or against the proposition to incur said indebtedness and otherwise providing for and regulating said election.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma do hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION I.

Whereas, it appears to the satisfaction of the said Board of Trustees, and is by the said Board hereby determined and adjudged that the said Board of Trustees, did by ordinance duly passed by a vote of more than two-thirds of all the members of said Board of Trustees, on the third day of August, A. D., 1898, in the City of Sonoma, at a regular meeting of said Board of Trustees, then and there duly held, determine and adjudge that the public interest and necessity of the City of Sonoma, demand, and the public interest and necessity of said city do in fact demand the acquisition, construction and completion by said city of a permanent system of municipal waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, acqueducts, wells, tanks and machinery for the same, and connected with the use thereof, to supply said city and the inhabitants thereof with a sufficient quantity of pure, fresh water for domestic use, and for the use of the Fire Department, and for flushing sewers, sprinkling streets and other purposes; and did also in said ordinance determine, and do now determine, that the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion by said city of said system of waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, acqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks and machinery for the same, and connected with the use thereof, is too great to be paid out of the ordinary annual income and revenue of said city; that said Ordinance No. 58, so passed as aforesaid, was thereafter and on the third day of August, A. D., 1898, duly approved in writing by the acting Executive of said City of Sonoma, viz: by the President pro tem of the said Board of Trustees; and that said Ordinance No. 58 was thereafter in accordance with the order and direction of said Board of Trustees, by the City Clerk caused to be published, and was duly published as provided by law, for more than two weeks consecutively, to-wit: commencing on the sixth day of August, A. D., 1898, and ending on the 10th day of September, 1898, in THE SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE, a weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the said City of Sonoma, and as often as said newspaper was published during that time, to-wit: on the 6th day of August, 1898, the 13th day of August, 1898, the 20th day of August, 1898, the 27th day of August, 1898, the 3rd day of September, 1898, and the 10th day of September, 1898, such dates being the days of publication of said newspaper; and whereas said Board of Trustees did, by resolution duly passed by a vote of more than two-thirds of all the members thereof, authorize the Committee on Waterworks to secure the services of a competent engineer to assist them in their efforts, and whereas said committee did authorize, direct and employ Otto Von Geldern, a competent civil engineer, who had theretofore had successful experience in the work of the acquisition, construction and completion of permanent systems of waterworks to make, prepare and submit to said Board of Trustees plans and estimates of the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of a permanent system of waterworks to supply said city and the inhabitants thereof with a sufficient quantity of pure, fresh water; that the said Otto Von Geldern did make, prepare and submit to the said Board of Trustees plans and estimates of the cost of such a system of waterworks; that the said Board of Trustees did by resolution duly passed by a vote of more than two-thirds of the members thereof, receive, acccept and approve said plans and estimates; that as shown by said plans and estimates and as is now hereby determined, the maximum cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of a permanent system of waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, acqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks and machinery for the same, and connected with the use thereof, will amount in the aggregate to Fifteen Thousand Dollars; that the entire assessed value of all real and personal property of and in said city is now in excess of two hundred and eighty-five thousand dollars; that the entire annual income and revenue of said city has hitherto been and now is the sum not to exceed Two Thousand Three Hundred Dollars; that there is now no outstanding, unpaid indebtedness of, or due from, said city; that the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of said system of waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, acqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks and machinery for the same, and connected with the use thereof, will not exceed and will be less than 15 per cent. of the assessed value of the real and personal property of and in said city.

SECTION II.

Now, therefore, in consideration of the premises, and in pursuance of the acts, ordinances, resolutions and proceedings aforesaid, and of the laws and statutes in such cases made and provided, a special election is hereby ordered and called to be held and conducted in and for said City of Sonoma, California, at the time and in the manner hereinafter fixed, designated and described; at which special election there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the said City of Sonoma, and there is hereby submitted to the qualified voters of said city to be voted upon at said special election as hereinafter provided, the proposition of incurring a debt amounting to Fifteen Thousand Dollars by said City of Sonoma, for the acquisition, construction and completion by said city of said permanent system of waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, acqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks, and machinery for the same, and connected with the use thereof by the said City of Sonoma and its inhabitants.

SECTION III.

The objects and purposes for which said indebtedness is proposed to be incurred are as follows: The acquisition, construction and completion by said City of Sonoma of said permanent system of waterworks, including all necessasy lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, acqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks and machinery for the same and connected with the use thereof as aforesaid, and to do and perform all acts and things whatsoever necessary for the construction and completion of public waterworks for the said city and its inhabitants, and for the construction and completion of said waterworks, to supply said city and the inhabitants thereof with a suffieient quantity of pure, fresh water for domestic use and for the use of the Fire Department, and for flushing sewers, sprinkling streets and other purposes.

SECTION IV.

The estimated cost of the acquisition, construction and completion by said city of said system of water works, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, acqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks, and machinery for the same, and connected with the use thereof and of all other things and acts whatsoever necessary for the proper use thereof, and of the whole of said contemplated system of water works is Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

SECTION V.

That the acquisition, construction and completion of said system of water works by said city is necessary for the following reasons:

First—That said city has no water works in its possession or under its control.

Second—That the supply of water now and hitherto furnished to said city and its inhabitants is and for many years last past has been wholly insufficient for domestic use, for the use of the Fire Department, sprinkling streets, flushing sewers, and other great necessities, and is liable to give out entirely.

Third—That the water now and hitherto supplied to said city and its inhabitants by the existing water company is unsuitable for domestic use.

Fourth—That it is necessary and for the best interests of said city, and the inhabitants thereof, and the public interest and necessity demand that a sufficient supply of pure, fresh water be furnished said city and the inhabitants thereof for domestic use, sprinkling streets, flushing sewers, for the Fire Department and other great necessities.

SECTION VI.

It is hereby determined and declared that the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion by said city of said system of water works, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for supplying water, structures, acqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks, and machinery for the same, and connected with the use thereof is and will be too great to be paid out of the ordinary annual income and revenue of said city, and therefore it is necessary for said city to incur a debt amounting to Fifteen Thousand Dollars, and to issue bonds of said city to pay for the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of said system of waterworks and to pay the cost of all thereof.

SECTION VII.

That bonds of the city of Sonoma of the character of bonds known as "serials" to the aggregate amount of Fifteen Thousand Dollars will be issued to pay for the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of said system of waterworks if the proposition to incur said municipal indebtedness by said city for the cost of such system of waterworks be accepted by the qualified voters of said city at said special election; and said bonds shall be issued and made payable in Gold Coin of the United States of America of the present weight and fineness, in the manner following: One-fortieth part of the whole amount of said indebtedness so incurred shall be payable each and every year on a day in each year, and at a place to be specified therein, and to be hereafter fixed by the Board of Trustees of said city. Said indebtedness, or any unpaid portion thereof, shall bear interest, at the rate of five per cent. per annum, which interest shall be paid in semi-annual installments, payable on certain days in each year, and at a place to be specified in said bonds and to be hereafter fixed by the Board of Trustees of said city.

SECTION VIII.

Said special election hereby called as aforesaid, shall be held on Monday, the 24th day of October, 1898, and shall be held and conducted, and the votes thereat received and canvassed, and returns thereof made and the result thereof ascertained and determined as herein provided and according to the law governing such elections in the City of Sonoma and as provided by the general election laws of this State, except where such general laws may conflict with the State law for elections of the kind hereby called or with this or any ordinance; and the polls for such election shall be and remain open from the hour of six o'clock of the morning of the said 24th day of October, 1898, to the hour of five o'clock of the afternoon of said day.

SECTION IX.

Notice of the said special election shall be published for not less than two weeks prior to said day of election, and after the final publication of this ordinance as hereinafter provided, in at least one of the newspapers published in the City of Sonoma, in accordance with the terms and provisions of the statutes in such cases made and provided.

SECTION X.

The ballots which shall be used at said special election shall be of the same character and form as ballots required by law to be used at municipal elections in said City of Sonoma, except as hereinafter otherwise provided. Each of said ballots shall have printed thereon the following caption or heading, to-wit: "MUNICIPAL TICKET," and shall have printed thereon and under said caption the following words, to-wit: "Proposition for incurring an indebtedness by the City of Sonoma to the aggregate amount of Fifteen Thousand Dollars for the acquisition, construction and completion by said city of a permanent system of waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, acqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks, machinery for the same, and all other things necessary for the proper use thereof, as set forth in Ordinance No. 59 of said city." Underneath the last foregoing words upon each of said ballots shall be printed the following: "To vote for or against incurring said indebtedness stamp a cross (X) to the right of and against the answer you desire to give." Underneath which shall be printed in one line the following: "For incurring the indebtedness," to the right of which shall be printed in one square the word "Yes" with a blank square to the right thereof, and immediately below the same there shall be printed in one line the following: "For incurring the indebtedness," on the right of which there shall be printed in one square the word "No," with a blank square to the right thereof. Every voter desiring to assent to, and accept the said proposition for incurring the said indebtedness set forth herein shall in voting at said election stamp a cross (X) in the blank square to the right of the word "Yes" printed upon his ballot as aforesaid. And every voter desiring to reject the said proposition of incurring said indebtedness shall in voting at said election stamp a cross (X) in the blank square to the right of the word "No" printed upon his ballot as aforesaid.

SECTION XI.

The place of voting at said special election shall be in the building known as the City Pavilion, situated in the public Plaza in said City of Sonoma; and the officers to conduct said election are respectively defined, designated, selected and appointed as follows, to-wit: Judges, J. D. Wagnan and S. Ciucci; Inspectors, V. Jensen and L. Litzius; Ballot Clerks, R. McDonell and P. G. Keil; Tally Clerks, L. Green and J. H. Albertson.

In case any of the officers above appointed to conduct said election do not attend at the opening of the polls on the morning of the election, the electors of the said city present at that hour may appoint or supply any competent person from among themselves to fill the place of such absent member thereof.

All persons qualified by law to vote at municipal elections in said city shall be qualified to vote at said special election.

SECTION XII.

As soon as the polls are finally closed at said special election, the officers of election shall canvass the votes cast at said special election for and against incurring said indebtedness hereinbefore mentioned, as nearly as practicable in the manner provided by law for canvassing votes for municipal officers at elections held in the city of Sonoma. The returns of said special election shall be made out and signed in the usual form by the said officers of election, and shall be deposited with the City Clerk of said city together with the ballots cast at said special election.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma shall, as soon as the said returns and ballots have been deposited with the said City Clerk as aforesaid, canvass the returns in the manner provided by law for canvassing the returns of elections of municipal officers in said city. If, upon the canvass of said returns as aforesaid, it shall be ascertained and determined that at least two-thirds of the qualified voters of said city voting at said special election, have voted in favor of the said proposition for incurring the said indebtedness, then bonds of the City of Sonoma, in the sum Fifteen Thousand Dollars, shall be issued by said city as by law provided, and hereafter prescribed by the said Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma.

SECTION XIII.

Immediately upon the passage of this Ordinance by said Board of Trustees and the approval thereof by the Executive of said city, to-wit: the President of the Board of Trustees, this ordinance shall be published once a week for two weeks consecutively in THE SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE, a weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in said City of Sonoma, and the City Clerk of said city is hereby ordered and directed to cause such publication of this ordinance to be made as aforesaid.

Passed on this the 15th day of September, 1898, by the following vote:

Trustee Davis, voting aye.
Trustee Duhring, voting aye.
Trustee Harris, voting aye.
Trustee Hartin, voting, aye.
Trustee Seipp, voting aye.
Absent none.

Approved this 15th day of September, 1898. FRED'K T. DUHRING, President of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma.

Attest:

ROBERT A. POPPE,
City Clerk.

By W. O. HOCKER,
Deputy City Clerk.

[SEAL.]

OFFICIAL.

PROCLAMATION.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SACRAMENTO, July 30, 1898.

WHEREAS, The Legislature of the State of California, at its thirty-second session beginning on the Fourth day of January, A. D., 1897, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, proposed the following described amendments to the Constitution of the State of California, to-wit:

Amendment Number One.

(Being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section eighteen of article eleven of the Constitution, in relation to revenue and taxation, by which it is proposed to amend said section to read as follows:

Section 18. No county, city, town, township, board of education, or school district shall incur any indebtedness or liability in any manner or for any purpose exceeding in any year the income and revenue provided for it for such year, without the assent of two-thirds of the qualified electors thereof, voting at an election to be held for that purpose, nor unless before, or at the time of incurring such indebtedness, provision shall be made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on such indebtedness as it falls due and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof on or before maturity, which shall not exceed forty years from the time of contracting the same: provided, however, that the City and County of San Francisco may at any time pay the unpaid claims with interest thereon for materials furnished to and work done for said city and county during the forty third and forty-fourth fiscal years, out of the income and revenue of any succeeding year or years; provided, that any and all claims for making, repairing altering, or for any work done upon, or for any material furnished for any street, lane, alley, court, place, or sidewalk, or for the construction of any sewer or sewers in said city and county are hereby excepted from the provisions of this section; and in determining any claims permitted to be paid by this section, no statute of limitations shall apply in any manner; and provided further, that the City of Vallejo, in Solano County, may pay its existing indebtedness incurred in the construction of its waterworks, whenever two-thirds of the electors thereof voting at an election held for that purpose, shall so decide. Any indebtedness or liability incurred contrary to this provision, with the exception hereinbefore cited, shall be void.

Amendment Number Two.

(Being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 10.)

A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State, by adding a new section, to be known and designated as section seven and one-half, article eleven thereof, providing for the framing by the inhabitants of counties of local county government acts for their own government. The said proposed new section to read as follows:

Section 7½. The inhabitants of any county may frame a county government act for their own government, relating to the matters hereinafter specified, and consistent with, and subject to, the Constitution and laws of this State, by causing a board of fifteen freeholders, who have been, for at least five years, qualified electors of such county, to be elected by the qualified electors of such county at any general or special election, whose duty it shall be within ninety days after such election, to prepare and propose a county government act for such county, which shall be signed in duplicate by the members of such board, or a majority of them, and returned, one copy thereof to the Board of Supervisors, or other legislative body of such county, and the other copy to be sent to the recorder of deeds of the county. Such proposed county government act shall then be published in two papers of general circulation in such county, or if there be not two such papers, then in one only, for at least twenty days, and within not less than thirty days after such publication it shall be submitted to the qualified electors of such county, at a general or special election, and if a majority of such qualified electors voting thereon shall ratify the same, it shall thereafter be submitted to the Legislature for its rejection or approval, as a whole, without power of alteration or amendment, and if approved by a majority of the members elected to each house, it shall be the county government act of such county, and shall in such case become the organic law thereof and supersede any existing county government act, and all amendments thereof, and all special laws inconsistent with such county government act.

A copy of such county government act, certified by the President of the Board of Supervisors or other legislative body of such county, and authenticated by the seal of such county, setting forth the submission of such county government act to the electors, and its ratification by them, shall be made in duplicate and deposited, one in the office of the Secretary of State, the other, after being recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds in the county, among the archives of the county.

All courts shall take judicial notice thereof. The county government act so ratified may be amended, at intervals of not less than two years by proposals therefor, submitted by the legislative authority of the county, to the qualified electors thereof, at a general or special election held at least forty days after the publication of such proposals for twenty days in a newspaper of general circulation in such county, and ratified by at least three-fifths of the qualified electors voting thereon, and approved by the Legislature as herein provided for the approval of the county government act. In submitting any such county government act any alternative article or proposition may be presented for the choice of the voters, and may be voted on separately without prejudice to others.

It shall be competent in all county government acts framed under the authority given by this section, to provide for the manner in which, the times at which, and the terms for which the several township and county officers, other than Judges of the Superior Court, shall be elected or appointed: for their compensation; for the number of such officers, for the consolidation or segregation of offices, for the number of deputies that each officer shall have, and for the compensation payable to each of such deputies, for the manner in which, the times in which, and the terms for which the members of all boards of election shall be elected or appointed; and for the constitution, regulation, compensation, and government of such boards, and of their clerks and attaches: also, to prescribe the manner and method by which all elections by the people shall be conducted and may in addition determine the tests and conditions upon which electors, political parties and organizations may participate in any primary election.

Whenever any county has in the manner and method herein pointed out, adopted any county government act, and the same shall have been approved by the Legislature as aforesaid, the directions of sections four and five of this article providing for the uniformity of a system of county governments throughout the State, and likewise providing for the election and appointment of officers, and the regulation of their compensation, shall not apply. Said county government act shall, as to any of the matters hereinabove provided for and declared by such county government act, not be subject to any law or amendment enacted by the Legislature, except by amendment first submitted to the electors and ratified in the manner hereinabove set forth.

Amendment Number Three.

(Being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 44.)

A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State, by adding a new section, to be known and designated as section five and one-half, article six, thereby providing for the organization of a court, to be known as the Court of Claims. The said proposed new section to read as follows:

Section 5½. The Court of Claims shall consist of any three Judges of the Superior Court, who may be requested by the Governor to hold court at the regular terms thereof. The Court of Claims shall have exclusive jurisdiction to hear and determine all claims of every kind and character against the State under such laws as may be passed by the Legislature, and its judgment thereon shall be final. The terms of the Court of Claims shall be held as follows:

In the City of Los Angeles, commencing on the second Monday of March;

In the City and County of San Francisco, commencing on the second Monday in July, and

In the City of Sacramento, commencing on the second Monday in November of each year.

The Judges holding such terms of court shall receive no extra compensation therefor, but shall receive their actual expenses, to be paid out of the general fund of the State treasury. The Legislature shall enact all laws necessary to organize such court, to provide the procedure thereof, and to carry out the provisions of this section.

Amendment Number Four.

(Being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State, amending article eleven, by adding a new section thereto, to be known as section number five and one-half, relating to consolidated city and county governments. The said proposed new section to read as follows:

Section 5½. The provisions of section four and five of this article shall not, nor shall any legislation passed pursuant thereto, apply to any consolidated city and county government, now existing or hereafter formed which shall have become, or shall become, organized under section seven, or secure a charter under section eight of this article

Amendment Number Five.

(Being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment of sections fifteen and section sixteen of article five of the Constitution of the State of California, by which it is proposed to amend said sections to read as follows:

Section 15. A Lieutenant-Governor shall be elected at the same time and place and in the same manner as the Governor, and his term of office and his qualifications shall be the same. He shall be president of the Senate, but shall only have a casting vote therein.

Section 16. In case of the impeachment of the Governor, or his removal from office, death, inability to discharge the powers and duties of his office, resignation or absence from the State, the powers and duties of the office shall devolve upon the Lieutenant-Governor for the residue of the term, or until the disability shall cease. And should the Lieutenant-Governor be impeached, displaced, resign, die, or become incapable of performing the duties of his office, or be absent from the State, the president pro tempore of the Senate shall act as Governor until the vacancy in the office of Governor shall be filled at the next general election, when members of the Legislature shall be chosen, or until such disability of the Lieutenant-Governor shall cease. In case of a vacancy in the office of Governor for any of the reasons above named, and neither the Lieutenant-Governor nor the president pro tempore of the Senate shall succeed to the powers and duties of Governor, then the powers and duties of such office shall devolve upon the speaker of the Assembly, until the office of Governor shall be filled at such general election.

Amendment Number Six.

(Being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 38.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section six, article nine of the Constitution of the State of California, relating to grammar schools by which it is proposed to amend said section to read as follows:

Section 6. The public school system shall include primary and grammar schools, and such high schools, evening schools, normal schools, and technical schools as may be established by the Legislature or by municipal or district authority, but the entire revenue derived from the State school fund, and the State school tax, shall be applied exclusively to the support of primary and grammar schools. Grammar schools shall include schools organized in a school district, or union of school districts, having more than one thousand inhabitants, in which a course of study shall be taught which will prepare pupils to enter the agricultural, mining, or scientific department of the University of California.

Amendment Number Seven.

(Being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section two, of article four, of the Constitution, in relation to sessions of the Legislature, by which it is proposed to amend such section to read as follows:

Section 2. The sessions of the Legislature shall commence at twelve o'clock meridian on the first Monday after the first day of January next succeeding the election of its members, and shall be biennial unless the Governor shall in the interim convene the Legislature by proclamation. The Legislature shall then remain in session for twenty-five days, after which it must adjourn to some date not less than thirty nor more than sixty days from the time of adjournment. If the two houses fail to agree upon a time at which they will resume their session, the Governor shall, by proclamation, fix a date for such reconvening, which shall be within the limits above described. Upon reassembling, the Legislature shall complete its session. No pay shall be allowed to members for a longer period than seventy-five days and no bill shall be introduced in either house except at the first twenty five days of the session, without the consent of three-fourths of the members thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, Pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution and an act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An act to provide for the submission of proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of California, to qualified electors for their approval," approved March 7, A.D., 1883, the above described proposed amendments are hereby published and advertised to be voted upon by ballot by the qualified electors of the State, at the election to be held throughout the State on

Tuesday, November 8, A. D., 1898.

The said proposed amendments are to be separately voted upon in manner and form as follows:

Each ballot used at such election must contain written or printed thereon the following words, whereupon the voter may express his choice as provided by law:

Amendment Number One, being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41, (exempting certain claims against the city and county of San Francisco, and the existing indebtedness of the City of Vallejo for the construction of its water works from the provisions of the Constitution requiring such claims to be paid from the income and revenues of the year in which they were incurred.) For the Amendment?	Yes / No
Amendment Number Two, being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 10, (providing for framing local county government acts, by inhabitants of counties for their government.) For the Amendment?	Yes / No
Amendment Number Three, being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 44, (providing for the creation of a Court of Claims to determine claims against the State, and to consist of three Superior Judges designated by the Governor to serve without extra compensation.) For the Amendment?	Yes / No
Amendment Number Four, being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37 (Exempting consolidated cities and counties organized or to be organized, or holding a charter under the Constitution, from certain legislation in relation to counties.) For the Amendment?	Yes / No
Amendment Number Five, being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36, (Relating to office of Governor, providing to succession thereto in certain cases, and removing disability of Lieutenant-Governor from holding other offices during term.) For the Amendment?	Yes / No
Amendment Number Six, being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 38, relating to and defining Grammar Schools. For the Amendment?	Yes / No
Amendment Number seven, being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34 providing for adjournment of Legislature for not less than thirty nor more than sixty days during each session For the amendment?	Yes / No

Witness my hand and the Great Seal of the State of California, the day and year herein first above written.

JAMES H. BUDD,
Governor.

Attest:
L. H. BROWN,
Secretary of State.

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